

# OFFICIAL DISPATCH

VIA: PLAIN  
SPECIAL AIR MAIL ENVELOPE

DISPATCH NO. WDCW-336

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TO : Chief ☒  
FROM : Chief, FBW  
SUBJECT: GENERAL -  
SPECIFIC. ☒

DATE: 4 February 1948

Louis NEBEL

References: a) ☒ ☐  
b) ☒ ☐

1. From available records it has been determined that, while subject was turned over to the Danes to stand trial for war crimes committed during the German occupation, he was given as much protection as possible because of his work while under the control of our predecessor organization.

2. The question of possible discreet intercession with the Danes was discussed in WASH-5886 (30 January 1947), but, as pointed out, the only purpose of such intercession would have been to save subject's life, and not to reduce any non-capital punishment. WASH-6145 (10 February 1947) to ☒ stated that no intercession was considered advisable. This viewpoint has not changed in the past two years.

3. For the above-mentioned reason, and because subject was only sentenced to 12 years in prison, no action which would involve this organization is contemplated at this time or in the future.

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